

# DEMAREST MIDDLE SCHOOL

## SUMMER READING LIST FOR STUDENTS ENTERING THE 7<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

SEPTEMBER 2013

Choose and read one book:

### Realistic Fiction

*When Zachary Beaver Came to Town* by Kimberly Willis Holt

*Every Soul a Star* by Wendy Mass

*One-Handed Catch* by M.J. Auch

*The House on Mango Street* by Sandra Cisneros

*The Wednesday Wars* by Gary D. Schmidt

*Fever 1793* by Laurie Halse Anderson

### Fantasy/ Science Fiction/Mystery

*Ender's Game* by Orson Scott Card

*Leviathan* by Scott Westerfeld

*The Graveyard Book* by Neil Gaiman

*Story Time* by Edward Bloor

*The Mysterious Benedict Society* by Trenton Lee Stewart

*The Magician* by Michael Scott (Sequel to *The Alchemyst*)

### Non-Fiction

*Tuesdays with Morrie* by Mitch Albom

*Charles and Emma: The Darwins' Leap of Faith* by Deborah Heiligman

*Years of Dust: The Story of the Dust Bowl* by Albert Marrin

*Chasing Lincoln's Killer* by James L. Swanson

*Sugar Changed the World: A Story of Magic, Spice, Slavery, Freedom, and Science* by Marc Aronson and Marina Budhos

*The Notorious Benedict Arnold: A True Story of Adventure, Heroism, and Treachery* by Steve Sheinkin